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SUBJECT: CURRENT LIST OF STRATEGIC AND CRITICAL MATERIALS FOR STOCKPILING

Section 1. Purpose

The materials listed herein are currently included in the strategic stockpiling program pursuant to Section 2(a) of Public Law 520, 79th Congress.

Section 2. Group I Materials

The following list constitutes Group I of the materials in the strategic stockpile. These materials have been or may be acquired through purchase pursuant to Section 3(a), and by transfer of Government-owned surpluses pursuant to Section 6(a), of Public Law 520, 79th Congress. All materials purchased must conform to stockpile specifications. Some of these materials are not under active procurement.

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| 1. Abrasives, Crude Aluminum Oxide | 25. Diamonds, Industrial--Bort & Stones |
| 2. Agar | 26. Feathers and Down, Waterfowl |
| 3. Aluminum | 27. Fluorspar, Acid Grade |
| 4. Antimony | 28. Fluorspar, Metallurgical Grade |
| 5. Asbestos, Amosite | 29. Graphite, Ceylon--Crystalline and Amorphous |
| 6. Asbestos, Chrysotile | 30. Graphite, Madagascar--Crystalline Flake and Fines |
| 7. Asbestos, Crocidolite | 31. Graphite, Other Than Ceylon and Madagascar--Crystalline |
| 8. Bauxite, Metal Grade | 32. Hyoscine |
| 9. Bauxite, Refractory Grade | 33. Iodine |
| 10. Beryl | 34. Jewel Bearings |
| 11. Bismuth | 35. Lead |
| 12. Cadmium | 36. Magnesium |
| 13. Castor Oil | 37. Manganese, Battery Grade, Natural Ore |
| 14. Celestite | 38. Manganese, Battery Grade, Synthetic Dioxide |
| 15. Chromite, Chemical Grade | 39. Manganese, Chemical Grade, Type A Ore |
| 16. Chromite, Metallurgical Grade | 40. Manganese, Chemical Grade, Type B Ore |
| 17. Chromite, Refractory Grade | 41. Manganese Ore, Metallurgical Grade |
| 18. Cobalt | 42. Mercury |
| 19. Coconut Oil | 43. Mica, Muscovite Block, Stained A/B and Better |
| 20. Columbite | |
| 21. Copper | |
| 22. Cordage Fibers, Abaca | |
| 23. Cordage Fibers, Sisal | |
| 24. Diamond Dies, Small | |

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| 44. Mica, Muscovite Film, First and Second Qualities | 59. Selenium |
| 45. Mica, Muscovite Splittings | 60. Shellac |
| 46. Mica, Phlogopite Splittings | 61. Silicon Carbide, Crude |
| 47. Molybdenum | 62. Silk, Raw |
| 48. Nickel | 63. Silk Waste and Noils |
| 49. Opium | 64. Sperm Oil |
| 50. Palm Oil | 65. Talc, Steatite, Block |
| 51. Platinum Group Metals, Iridium | 66. Tantalite |
| 52. Platinum Group Metals, Palladium | 67. Tin |
| 53. Platinum Group Metals, Platinum | 68. Tungsten |
| 54. Pyrethrum | 69. Vanadium |
| 55. Quartz Crystals | 70. Vegetable Tannin Extract, Chestnut |
| 56. Quinidine | 71. Vegetable Tannin Extract, Quebracho |
| 57. Rare Earths | 72. Vegetable Tannin Extract, Wattle |
| 58. Rubber, Crude Natural | 73. Zinc |

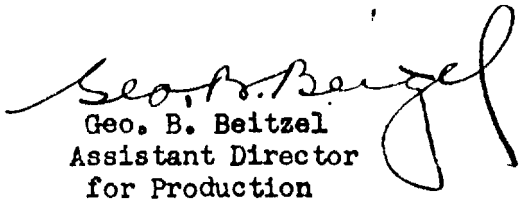
Section 3. Group II Materials

The following list constitutes Group II of the materials in the strategic stockpile. These materials have been acquired principally through transfer of Government-owned surpluses pursuant to Section 6(a) of Public Law 520, 79th Congress. None is under procurement.

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| 1. Bauxite, Abrasive | 6. Mica, Phlogopite Block |
| 2. Corundum | 7. Rutile |
| 3. Cryolite, Natural | 8. Sapphire and Ruby |
| 4. Diamond Dies, Other Than Small | 9. Talc, Steatite, Ground |
| 5. Mica, Muscovite Block, Stained B and Lower | 10. Titanium Sponge |
| | 11. Wool |

Section 4. Effective Date

This list supersedes all previous lists and is effective immediately.


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